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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Andrew S. Neely & John W. Endsley
Application No.: 10/676,618
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Title: STANDING STRUCTURE AND RELEASING HOLDER
Group Art Unit: 3636 Examiner: Joseph F. Edell

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 20, 2004, Applicants hereby elect to prosecute species 1, which the examiner has identified as figures 1-5, 10, and 11.

The claims that are believed to read on this species are claims 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 9, 10, 11, and 17.